

Matthew Edwards and Devyn Dowty Wedding

General Information (Entertainment)

Performers

- Dan Slyker - dan.slyker@gmail.com - 8137602333 (Piano)
- Julia Chisholm - juliachisholmmusic@gmail.com - 781-710-2335 (Piano + Ceremony Pianist)
- Baran Bildirici - brnbldrc@gmail.com - 8573165300 (Saxophonist)
- Rob Perry - RobertPerryPercussion@gmail.com - 401-952-9382 (Drummer)
- Santiago Lopez - santiagolopezmusic@gmail.com - 9734204675 (Guitarist)

Entire Wedding Day Time Frame

10/13/2024 - 04:00 pm - 09:45 pm EST

Locations

Ceremony:
Danversport
161 Elliott St

Danvers, Massachusetts
01923-3830

Cocktails:
Danversport
161 Elliott St

Danvers, Massachusetts
01923-3830

Dinner:
Danversport
161 Elliott St

Danvers, Massachusetts
01923-3830

Dancing:
Danversport
161 Elliott St

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Parking: free parking at wedding venue, unlimited

Files

- [dowty-edwards-seating-chart-9.15.pdf](#)

Load-In

This wedding requires an outdoor setup.

Rain Plan: Ceremony will be held outside if the weather is appropriate. There are not heaters but if the weather is too cold we will move the ceremony inside. The players set up on a grassy area with access to power and wifi near the back of the ceremony space.

The ceremony and cocktails are at the same venue but NOT in the same area.

Duelers Load-In:

You may start loading in for the ceremony and cocktails at 02:30 pm.

Additional Musicians Load-In:

3:45

Contacts

Day-of-Contact

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Venue Manager:

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<https://danversport.com/weddings/>

Upgrades

- Mini-shells
- Additional Musicians
- Live Ceremony



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Ceremony Information (Entertainment)

Ceremony Time Frame

04:00 pm - 04:45 pm EST

Ceremony Setup

Setup: for the ceremony we requested just 1 piano to play instrumentals so guests can be seated and then recorded music for the aisle marches. This will be setup outside on the grass. Inside setup for the full show/reception will be on a wood floor near the back of the reception space. the event coordinators will show the musicians where to be.

Sound System Needs

The officiant (Jamey Edwards) will require a handheld microphone with stand. Jamey Edwards is expected to arrive around 03:30 pm. **Important:** Remember to find out what the officiant's last words will be before the recessional music begins!

No readers will need a microphone.

You will be providing live music so have a keyboard set up.

Ceremony Attendance

Number of people in attendance: 200

Seating Music Begins At: 03:45 pm

Wedding Party Size: 24

Wedding Traditions: Tu B'av- Breaking the glass (Jewish tradition) before the recession back down the aisle. The recession music should start after the glass is broken/ "Mozel Tav" is yelled.

Ceremony Music

Live Seating Music: Recognizable instrumental music. From your website, the playlist titled "instrumental processional music" is perfect. Artists such as Taylor Swift, Adele, Ed Sheeran. I want people to know the songs that are being played.

Recorded Wedding Party Processional Music: Can't Help Falling in Love - Piano Cover

YouTube Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3K8B7gTh70A>

The last person(s) to walk down the aisle before the main entrance will be Flower Girl.

Recorded Ceremony Processional Music: I get to love you - Ruelle

YouTube Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m1mkYWkoXyo>

Recorded Ceremony Recessional Music: Stargazing - Myles Smith

Right after glass break and "Mozel Tav!"

YouTube Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=slKG0VL9Bis>

Other Details: If weather does not permit, ceremony will be inside the dinner location. The room will then flip during cocktails.

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Cocktail Information (Entertainment)

Cocktail Time Frame

04:45 pm - 05:45 pm EST

Load-In

You must load in equipment at 02:30 pm

Please Note: no elevator. 1/2 set of stairs up to the venue. there is a ramp as well.

General Cocktail Information

Expected number of guests for cocktails: 200

Location of the Couple at this time: taking photos outside

Music (Recorded) for cocktails: country/top hits love songs/easy background music

Other Details: Cocktails will start as soon as the first 20-30 walk in from the ceremony. We then have 5 hours from that moment to use the venue.

A large, faint, light-gray watermark logo for 'Felix and Fingers Dueling Pianos' is centered on the page. It features a stylized illustration of two hands, one holding a piano key and the other a piano hammer, positioned as if about to play. Below the illustration, the text 'FELIX AND FINGERS' is written in a large, bold, sans-serif font, and 'DUELING PIANOS' is written in a smaller, all-caps, sans-serif font below it.

FELIX AND FINGERS
DUELING PIANOS

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Dinner Information (Entertainment)

Dinner Time Frame

05:50 pm - Guests find seats
05:57 pm - Wedding party introductions
05:58 pm - First Dance
06:00 pm - Dinner is served
06:15 pm - Speech - Will and Teri Dowty
06:20 pm - Speech - Ali & Haley
06:25 pm - Speech - Dickie & Christian
06:30 pm - Speech - Heather
06:35 pm - Speech - Steve
06:40 pm - Announcements
07:00 pm - Speech - Devyn and Matt
07:05 pm - Dueling Piano Show
07:44 pm - Dance with (William & Devyn)
07:45 pm - Dance with (Debby & Matt)
09:00 pm - DJ Show
09:15 pm - Bar closes
09:19 pm - Photographer will be leaving
Social: Lense-QR code will be available at the wedding
Our Seating: We will have a table set up for vendors

05:57 pm Wedding Party Intros

Intro Music: Bride and Groom only. No music for intro, but going right into First Dance.

1 - B&G Matt & Devyn

Introduce the newlyweds as Mr. & Mrs. Edwards

05:58 pm First Dance

Dancers: Matthew & Devyn

Song: Hell or Highwater by Zach Bryan(Recorded)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S7uArCt87nA>

Special Instructions: Can fade out at 2:10. Don't need the last verse!

06:00 pm Dinner Is Served

Dinner Type: Plated

Please List In Order The Courses That Will Be Served

Course	Notes
Soup, salad, main	Italian Wedding, strawberry fields salad, chicken or beef

06:15 pm Speech

Will and Teri Dowty - Father/Mother of the Bride

06:20 pm Speech

Ali & Haley - Maid/Matron of Honor

06:25 pm Speech

Dickie & Christian - Best Man

06:30 pm Speech

Heather - Maid of Honor

06:35 pm Speech

Steve - Matt's Brother

06:40 pm Announcements

Clinking: It's Great!

Other Dinner Announcements:

Remind guests do to the audio guest book (buy the gift table) and take photos in the lense photo app. Guests can record anything they want. Even the band too!

07:00 pm Speech

Devyn and Matt - Bride and Groom

07:44 pm Dance with

Dancers: William & Devyn

Song: I Hope You Dance by Chris Stapleton/ Lee Ann Womack(Live)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kgdpa8Gljfl>

Special Instructions: We would like the father daughter/ mother son dance to be the same and for all of our guests to dance with love one when the song comes on. We dont want a spotlight dance or for it to be announced as the father/daughter dance. Ideally it is worked into the show and coordinated by our wedding coordinators to make sure we are all ready (including photographer) to kind of fall into the dance naturally. An announcement of grab your loved ones or your children etc. is okay. We would prefer the Chris Stapleton version that he performed at a fundraiser. There is a video on Youtube.

07:45 pm Dance with

Dancers: Debby & Matt

Song: I Hope You Dance by Chris Stapleton/ Lee Ann Womack(Live)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kgdpa8Gljfl>

Special Instructions: See father daughter details above. will be doing a combined dance.

Other Dinner Information

No Change

Dinner Music: Recorded Easy background music no specific requests we like country music, top hits, classic wedding playlists

Meet And Greet After Dinner: No

Social Websites To Share Pictures: Lense-QR code will be available at the wedding

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Reception Information (Entertainment)

07:05 pm Dueling Piano Show

09:00 pm DJ Show

Must Play Songs:

Friends In Low Places - by Garth Brooks (Live)

Jubel - by Klingande (Live (saxophone during DJ portion? We would LOVE a transition song from live show to DJ portion and Sax to play along with this))

I Hope You Dance - by lee ann womack (live)

Ignition Remix - by r kelly (live)

Marry You - by bruno mars (live)

Love Story - by disco lines (recorded last song of the night)

Songs To Avoid:

Any songs with a choreographed dance to them. For example, cotton eyed joe, cha cha slide, wobble, YMCA, Boot Scootin Boogie, NO FREE BIRD. We are okay if there is a quick medley of "classic dance" songs where you get about 20-30 seconds of each one but I do not want 6 minutes of electric slide. Try to limit Taylor Swift songs please.

Explicit Lyrics: Explicit lyrics are allowed. There will be no children present after 7:30PM.

Other Details

Bouquet Toss: None

Garter Toss: None

Last Song Of Night: Love Story - Disco Lines (T. Swift)

Songs Per Heritage: Hava Nagila- jewish chair dancing song. Ideally it fits into the party at the right time but isn't a necessity if it doesn't seem to flow with the vibes of the evening. Not 100% sure if we are doing this. We will let players know.

Tipping: Yes

Tips Go To: Dollar bills are attached to all guests' request cards. All tips during show to honeymoon fund. We will tip players separately after the show.

Tip Jar: Yes

Tip Promotion: Mention it a few times

Alcohol/Bar

Bar In Same Room As Dance Area: Yes

Type: Open

Additional Information: timing is slightly flexible. if the ceremony is running late we still get 1 hour for cocktail hour and 4 hours for reception. so the clock starts when the ceremony is over. we are hoping for a total of about 30 minutes ceremony time but are unsure how long it will take to get all guests seated.

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Miscellaneous Information (Entertainment)

No Of Guests: No Change

Children

Approximate Number Of Children: 7

General Age Range: 1-13, will be leaving after the first couple of live songs

Wireless

Details:

Please Provide The Name Of The Connection And Password

Wireless Name

Password

TBD

TBD

Other

Honeymoon - We leave on Tuesday for Chile/Argentina

Wedding Colors - whites and shades of green

Performer's Attire - Cocktail (Women: an above-the-knee hem is appropriate, or an evening pantsuit. Men: suit, tie optional.)

Performance Expectations - 4

This number represents a sliding scale between 0 and 5. 0 leans towards traditional bar show with lots of dueling piano banter and comedy. 5 represents a wedding show with little talking and non-stop dancing.

[Please be sure to review the Wedding Guide!](#)

Departure And Load-Out

After-Party - Announce the following details:

Longcross Bar/kitchen, late night snacks will be provided, busses will transport back to bar/hotels. Everyone is encouraged to join!

Shuttle Details - shuttles will transport back to hotel and bar everyone is welcome on shuttles. First bus is to take the kids and their nannies. We have busses running all night for guests to get back to the hotels. 2nd to last bus will be 1 hour before reception is over. Last busses will be at end of reception.

We must be packed up and out of the venue by 11:00 pm

Matthew Edwards and Devyn Dowty Timeline (Entertainment)

Full Timeline

02:30 pm - Arrival (Load-in) Time (musicians)
03:45 pm - Guests Arrive For Ceremony
04:00 pm - Ceremony Begins
04:45 pm - Cocktails Begin
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09:45 pm - Reception Ends

The "No" List

- No cake cutting
- No blessing
- No meet and greet
- No bouquet toss
- No garter toss
- No expected fight songs
- No send off

Reminders:

- Turn down the lights in the room (especially before first dances)
- Make sure the couple and their parents are present
- Communicate with vendors (like Photographer and Videographer), make sure they're ready
- Double check your sound board settings, speaker settings, lights, mics on, etc.

Emergency Contacts

Below is the order of contact to follow:

1. National Entertainment Director

Shawn Grindle - (412) 860-0544

2. Logistics Manager

Tina Naponelli - (815) 382-4341

If they are unavailable:

3. COO

Bre Podgorski - (818) 823-5799 (text only)

4. CEO

Mike Potts - (815) 245-3623 (text only)

Gear Check List:

- Keyboard (with power cable and sustain pedal)
- Microphone
- Stands (Keyboard Stand, Music Stand, Mic Stand, Light Stands, Speaker Stands)
- Speakers (with power cables)
- Monitors (Players may bring their own. All monitors must use the Main Send, no independent mixes)
- Lights (With power cables and pedals)
- iPad (charged, or with charger)
- Mixing Board
- EIF/Questionnaire
- Pencils/Forms/Tip Jar/Gaff Tape
- Freddy
- Stool
- Cables (Power/Patch/XLR/DJ Cable)
- DJ Headphones
- Mini Shells
- Rockin Roller
- Extra Mic
- Clothing: Shirt/Pants/Socks/Shoes/Belt/Tie/Undershirt
- Business Cards

Rig Setup/Operation Scribd

[Click here](#) or scan the QR code.



Scribd is a great resource for locating sheet music (ie. First dances, ceremony music, special requests). Please feel free to use our account.

Username:info@felixandfingers.com

Password:FFPlayer88

Player FAQ

Have other questions? Chat with our [AI Support](#)

